

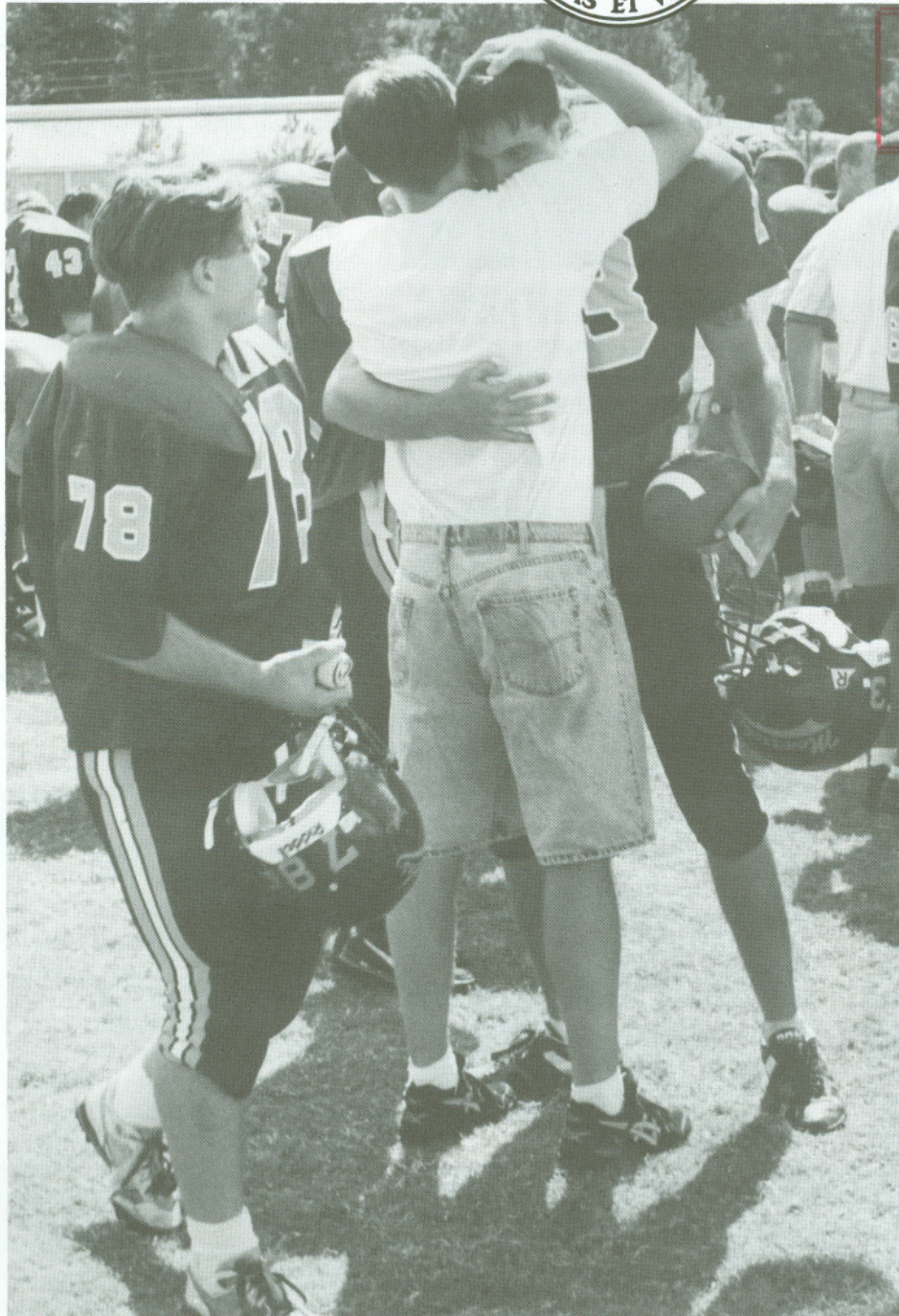
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PLEASE JOIN US FOR HOMECOMING OCTOBER 8-9!

DAY APART RETREAT YIELDS MANY INTERESTING IDEAS

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At the second annual "Day Apart" retreat August 12 and 13, Methodist College faculty and staff discussed ways to implement a seven-point, seven-year strategic plan for the college.

The plan was drafted by President Hendricks and the Strategic Concepts Committee last spring and approved by the college's board of trustees in June.

Approximately 160 of the college's 225 full-time employees spent a "day apart" meeting in small groups to discuss the seven planning recommendations. Each day about half of the faculty and staff participated, while the other half remained on the job.

Each "day apart" opened with a briefing from President Hendricks and closed with a wrap-up session where groups reported their "top five" suggestions for implementing each of the seven goals. Some groups also discussed ways to support the purpose of the college as expressed in its current mission statement.

The following is a summary of the suggestions mentioned during the two-day retreat. NOTE: Recommendations 1-5 and 6-7 were grouped for discussion purposes.

Item 1: Plan for enrollment growth by the year 2000 to 2,200 students.

Item 2: Plan for residential growth to 800-900 students over the next five years.

Item 3: Build, as needed, new residential facilities to accommodate 300 new residential students.

Item 4: Build the first residential unit for 50-60 students for operation in the fall of 1994.

Item 5: Review residential enrollment trends each year and decide if additional units are needed.

SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF ITEMS 1-5

- Add unique academic programs, especially those that will attract more female students.
 - Add a learning skills center with personal computers and support staff where students can study and receive tutoring as needed; incorporate this in library addition.
 - Merge the day and evening programs for greater efficiency and to unify students and faculty.
 - Expand or add dining facilities for additional resident students.
 - Work with students to improve the retention rate; offer more social and recreational activities.
 - Add more full-time faculty and support staff.
 - Improve maintenance and appearance of existing buildings; repair the carillon and bell tower.
- (Please see IDEAS pages 8 and 9)



▲ GARY HINSON AND HIS GROUP TAKE A VOTE TO DETERMINE THEIR 'TOP FIVE' SUGGESTIONS.

RICHARD L. PLAYER FAMILY ENDOWS NEW BUILDING

The family of Richard L. Player, Sr. has pledged \$100,000 to Methodist College for construction of the Richard L. Player, Sr. Golf and Tennis Learning Center.

The new building will honor one of Fayetteville's pioneer real estate developers and one of its finest golfers.

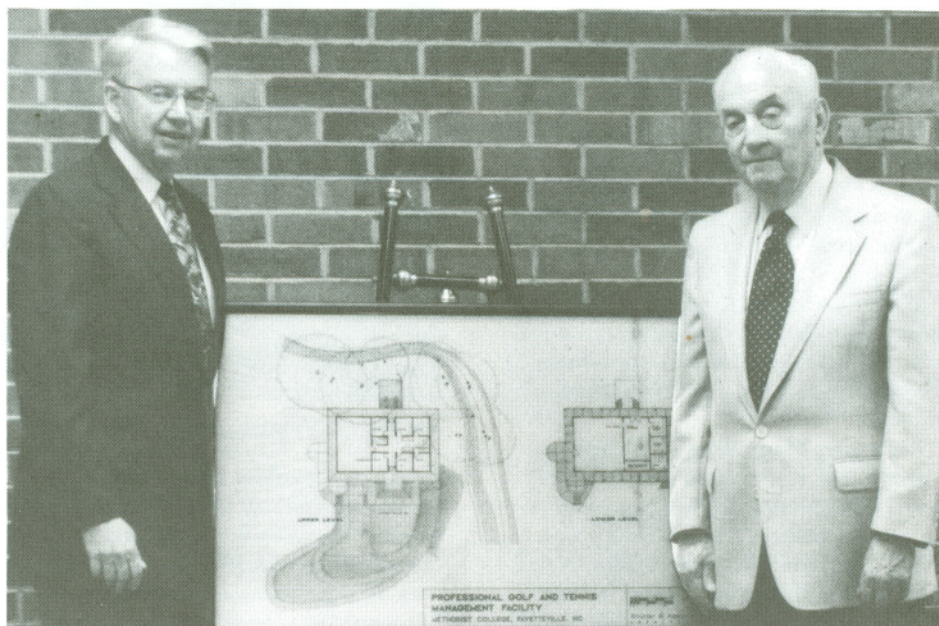
"My dad never went to college," noted Richard Player, Jr., "but he was valedictorian of his high school class and built a very successful business. He has always been an avid golfer and sports fan, so we feel it's very appropriate to honor him in this way."

"The Player family has been very supportive of Methodist College since its inception," noted Dr. Elton Hendricks, college president. "We are deeply indebted to Dick and Margaret Ann and their children Molly and Richard, III for this generous gift."

Mr. Player founded Player Realty and Construction Co. in 1938, co-founded Highland Country Club in 1945, and helped organize the Fayetteville Quarterback Club (in support of Fayetteville H.S.) and the Fayetteville Highlanders Baseball Club. He has also been a strong supporter of the Duke Blue Devils and encouraged Richard, Jr. to attend Duke.

"I began playing golf in my teens, on a municipal course in Wilmington," said Mr. Player. "I later joined Cape Fear Country Club. When my family moved to Fayetteville, the only golf course in existence was Fayetteville Country Club, a nine-hole course later known as Green Valley. My friends and I had to drive to Pinehurst to play an 18-hole course."

Mr. Player said he was a three handicapper who generally shot in the 70's or



▲ **DICK PLAYER (L.) AND FATHER RICHARD (R.) WITH DESIGN SKETCH.**

80's. Although he has not played golf in about 10 years, he still remembers the foursomes he was part of at Highland Country Club. "I enjoyed the fellowship—the talking and joking," he said.

Mr. Player also said "I am proud and touched that my family has chosen to honor me in this fashion. Methodist College is a wonderful asset. The golf and tennis program associated with their business school is exciting. Business development and sports have been important to my life."

The Richard L. Player, Sr. Golf and Tennis Learning Center is still in the planning stages, but the college's board of visitors launched a capital fund drive for

the building in the spring. Approximately \$150,000 has been raised toward an estimated cost of \$500,000. The projected completion date is summer, 1994.

The new building will be located near the college golf course and tennis complex. It will house the professional golf and tennis management staff and will contain classrooms and professional shops. Methodist's business administration programs, with concentrations in professional golf or tennis management, have a current enrollment of 160 students, and are growing rapidly. The new building will enable these programs to serve 300 students by the year 2000.

COLLEGE ENROLLS 1,628; 610 IN RESIDENCE HALLS

Methodist College began its 34th academic year by enrolling a record 1,628 students, 13 percent more than last fall's opening figure of 1,437.

A total of 1,126 students enrolled in the regular day program. An additional 502 students enrolled in evening classes. Evening classes began August 9 and day classes started August 24.

The college opened the fall semester with 610 resident students, the largest number in 26 years. Two apartment buildings were converted into residence halls to handle an overflow from the college's four permanent residence halls. Residential enrollment increased 11

percent over last fall's 548.

"The opening of school is especially exciting this year, with our second consecutive record enrollment," said Dr. Elton Hendricks, college president. "Our many traditional and non-traditional students come from 48 states and 17 foreign countries. It is a joy to work with them."

Methodist enrolled 531 new students (312 freshmen and 220 transfers) and 595 returning students in the regular day program. Day enrollment increased 5 percent over Fall '92's opening figure of 1,072.

The Evening College enrollment of 502 represents a 37.5 percent increase over last fall's opening figure of 365.

TEST PREP CLASSES

STANLEY H. KAPLAN EDUCATIONAL CENTER HAS BEGUN OFFERING TEST PREPARATION CLASSES FOR THE SAT, GRE, GMAT, LSAT, AND MCAT AT METHODIST COLLEGE. FOR INFORMATION, PHONE 323-1004.

MYSTERY FANS TAKE NOTE!

Mystery writers Sharyn McCrumb and Margaret Maron will be honored at Methodist College's 11th Southern Writer's Symposium October 22-23. Both authors will be present to hear their works discussed and to see them dramatized.

"These women are both excellent writers and they have the awards to prove it," noted Dr. Sue Kimball, professor of English at Methodist and symposium director.

Margaret Maron lives in Willow Springs, NC in Johnston County. Her novel *Bootlegger's Daughter*, featuring the colorful character Deborah Knott, won the Edgar Allan Poe Award as Best Novel of 1992 and the Agatha Award for Best Traditional Mystery Novel of 1992. She attended UNC-G and UNC-Chapel Hill.

The author of ten mystery novels and numerous short stories, Mrs. Maron has written a sequel to *Bootlegger's Daughter* entitled *Southern Discomfort*. Seven of her earlier mysteries were set in New York and featured NYPD Lt. Sigrid Harald.

Sharyn McCrumb is a North Carolina native now living in Shawsville, VA. She is a member of the Appalachian Studies faculty at Virginia Tech and holds degrees from UNC-Chapel Hill and Virginia Tech. Her *Bimbos of the Death Sun* won



▲ MARGARET MARON

the Edgar Award for Best Paperback Mystery in 1988. *If Ever I Return Peggy-O* won the Macavity for Best Novel in 1990. Her short story "A Wee Doch & Doris" won the Agatha Award for Best Short Story in 1990. *The Hangman's Beautiful Daughter* was the New York Times Notable Book of the Year in 1992.

Sixteen mystery fans are slated to present papers about the works of Mrs. Maron and Mrs. McCrumb at the two-day symposium. Elizabeth Daniels Squire, president-elect of the North Carolina Writers, will give a luncheon address Saturday entitled "How Margaret and Sharyn Have Helped Other Mystery Writers."

The Cape Fear Regional Theatre will present stage adaptations of Sharyn



▲ SHARYN McCRUMB

McCrumb's novel *MacPherson's Lament* and Margaret Maron's short story "Fruitcake, Mercy, and Blackeyed Peas" at 8 p.m. Saturday night and 2 p.m. Sunday at the CFRT Theater in Haymount.

"A Bus Trip to Murder" (limited to 27 persons) will take patrons to the scenes of local murders Friday and Saturday evenings. Paul Wilson will serve as narrator, giving synopses of cases furnished by Pat Reese, reporter for the *Fayetteville Observer-Times*.

There is a \$25 registration fee for the symposium; meals, the bus trip, and the stage performances are separately priced. For registration forms or additional information, contact Dr. Sue Kimball at 630-7025 or Mrs. Lynda Beard at 630-7032.

BILL LOWDERMILK SPEAKS AT UM WORKSHOP

Reverend Bill Lowdermilk, vice president for church/community relations at Methodist College, was one of nine presenters at a recent United Methodist workshop on higher education and campus ministry.

Dr. Lowdermilk spoke about "Options for Church Relations Programs" to members of the Southeastern Jurisdiction Association for Higher Education and Campus Ministry July 10 at Lake Junaluska.

Approximately 11 of 16 United Methodist conferences in the Southeast were represented at the annual meeting, which is designed to strengthen conference



▲ BILL LOWDERMILK

boards of higher education and campus ministry.

In his presentation, Dr. Lowdermilk discussed: 1) the role of the chairperson of each conference's board of higher education and campus ministry in building support and funding for campus ministries, 2) recent joint efforts by colleges in the North Carolina Conference to spur interest in the colleges and campus ministry (annual conference breakfast for cabinet, mass mailing on financial aid, annual conference display), 3) the minister-in-residence program where United Methodist pastors visit each campus four times a year for one-week at a time, 4) Methodist College's efforts to make individual churches aware of its mission by sending out preachers and student groups, hosting 83 church-related events, staging UMYF Goes to College Day, printing flyers and church bulletin

inserts, encouraging clergy to give Pastor's Appreciation Certificates to prospective students, and sending program suggestions to local church chairpersons of higher education.

Dr. Lowdermilk said workshops like the one held at Lake Junaluska generate new ideas for strengthening the relationship between the United Methodist Church and its colleges. "It was a wonderful experience," he said. "I was impressed by the commitment of the participants to carry out John Wesley's 'uniting of knowledge and vital piety.' I feel Don Shockley (assistant general secretary, Campus Ministry Section, Division of Higher Education) and Jim Noseworthy (director of Annual Conference Relations and Public Policy Programs, Division of Higher Education) are providing significant leadership in this area."

'A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM' SLATED FOR AMPHITHEATER

Too late for summer and too early for Halloween, the mystical sprites of Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream* will be haunting the O'Hanlon Amphitheater Theatre at Methodist College October 7-10.

Shakespeare's fanciful comedy of four couples finding each other in the magical forest on Midsummer Night's Eve will come alive with music, dance, and comedy.

In addition to the Monarch Playmakers in the production there will also be performances by Fayetteville residents. Mrs. Libby Seymour of the Arts Council will be featured as Titania, the Queen of the Forest and leader of a group of lovely dancing sprites. The sprites will be played by young performers cast from the youth of Fayetteville.

Mr. Robert Bloodworth, head of Methodist's Communications Depart-

ment, will be Oberon, the King of the Night, the leader of the mischievous Puck and a group of tumbling sprites. Dr. Tony DeLapa, head of Methodist's Education Department, will be a frustrated father of a runaway daughter.

There are a total of seven outdoor performances. Special school matinees will be done at 9 a.m. and noon October 7 and 8 for an admission charge of \$1.00. Teachers must make group reservations (630-7483) for the classes to attend.

The regular public performances are October 8 and 9 at 8 P.M. and October 10 at 3 P.M. No reservations are needed and the admission is \$4.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children and senior citizens.

This is the annual benefit production when the Royal Benefactors of MC Theatre are honored. This year's production will use the lighting board made possible by last years "Royal Benefactors."



SHAPIRO TO READ POEMS OCT. 29

Alan Shapiro, the author of four collections of poetry, will give a public reading of his works Friday, October 29 in Methodist College's Hensdale Chapel. Admission is free.

Mr. Shapiro is currently professor of English and creative writing at UNC-Greensboro. He is the recipient of fellowships from the National Endowment for the Arts and the Guggenheim Foundation and his third book, *Happy Hour*, received the William Carlos Williams Award from the Poetry Society of America.

Mr. Shapiro's appearance is being underwritten through a grant from the Lila Wallace-Reader's Digest Fund to the North Carolina Humanities Council. His reading will be followed by a brief reception and an informal discussion on the topic "The Relationship of Form and Content in Contemporary Poetry."

A native of Boston, Shapiro taught for 10 years at Northwestern University before moving to Chapel Hill in 1990. His fourth and most highly acclaimed book of poems is entitled *Covenant*.

Mr. Shapiro's poems cover a wide range of subjects and human emotions. "The Sweepers" deals with the fall of Carthage and also evokes images of the 20th century Holocaust. "Mud Dancing" describes his experience at Woodstock in 1969.

Alan Shapiro began writing poetry in his teens, after injuries kept him off the basketball court for an entire season. His earliest poems grew out of a state of depression. He entered Brandeis University with a basketball scholarship, but abandoned the sport and began to seriously study and write poetry. He holds a B.A. in English from Brandeis.

COLLEGE WELCOMES NEW PERSONNEL

Methodist College opened the academic year with four new faculty members and approximately 30 new full-time employees.

The new faculty members are: Dr. Peggy G. Batten, assistant professor of mathematics; Dr. Barbara W. Klein, associate professor of communications and business administration; Mr. Darl H. Champion, assistant professor of criminal justice; and Mr. Alton Hare, assistant professor of mathematics.

The following is a list of new full-time personnel by department or division:

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Tom Maze, assistant director of professional tennis management and assistant coach of men's and women's tennis.
Kathy Thomas, secretary, Evening College.
Flora Williams, secretary, Reeves School of Business.

ADMISSIONS

Anita Woods, admissions counselor

ATHLETICS

Michael Hogan, sports information director; Eric Westerfield, assistant football coach; Catherine Spencer, secretary.

BUSINESS AFFAIRS

Arlene Alvelo, accounts technician, Business Office

John Dixon, printer
Harold Blake, custodian
Demareus McDuffie, custodian
John Whaithead, custodian
Jerry Lee Parker, maintenance (golf course)
Franklin Sharpe, maintenance (golf course)

Ralph (Buddy) Stanton electrician
Denise Pribis, horticulturist & repairs
Ernest Thomas, horticulturist & repairs

CHURCH AND

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Sarah F. Matthews, secretary, Public Relations

DEVELOPMENT

Summer Brock, director of alumni affairs & executive director, Methodist College Foundation

STUDENT AFFAIRS

Darlene Hopkins, phychotherapist
Wanda Foster, residence hall coordinator, Honors Hall
Dawn Thompson, residence hall director, Garber & Weaver Hall
James Ashworth, security officer
Vernon Owens, security officer
Chris Ferry, security officer
Richard McMinn, security officer
Ivan Ivanov, security officer
Shawn Williams, security officer.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE DEPT. INCORPORATES THE

Exciting things are happening in the foreign language classes at Methodist College.

Students are speaking and performing practical communicative functions such as giving directions, telling someone how to do a simple task, and answering informational inquiries. The instructors in the Department of Foreign Languages are trained to use the natural approach, stressing listening comprehension and oral activities with the most modern methods.

In, Mrs. Tammy Rappold's beginning Spanish class, students demonstrate the ability to function naturally with the vocabulary that accompanies everyday clothing and its care. They respond to commands to hang certain clothing on the line or to retrieve it and describe the articles that they are working with. This "hands-on" experience is more meaningful than memorizing a list of words on the printed page.

Strategies such as these are used by foreign language teachers in the public elementary schools in North Carolina. Using concrete objects as the students are learning new vocabulary, as well as realistic situations to perform communicative functions, has proven to be a very effective means for young people to grasp the new language.

Although more emphasis on reading and writing language is found in instruction at the high school and college levels, these older students respond very effectively to using the language naturally and to seeing and hearing natives in their natural routines on videos.



▲ *MRS. TAMMY RAPPOLD DISCUSSES CURRENT CLOTHING STYLES WITH HER FRENCH STUDENTS.*

One learns to read and translate quite adeptly through book learning and systematic grammar study. However, developing the ability to understand the oral language when spoken at a normal rate of speed and learning to respond orally in a spontaneous, natural way cannot be learned effectively from a book with written grammar tests. Current trends in foreign language instruction are now addressing the need to develop oral proficiency with the goals of graduating students who can function in the second language in natural situations.

A state-of-the-art enhancement to learning a new language is video. Begin-

ning German students are enjoying the recently acquired LernExpress series. Twenty 15-minute modules on video laser disk expose the student to German as the natives speak it. A coordinated workbook lets the student follow the conversations, explains new expressions, and verifies understanding.

Leon Goldstein, who champions the use of high-tech teaching aids along with proven traditional methods, says that the new videos are more effective than audio cassettes because the all-important visual context they add makes drill and study sessions more realistic and natural for the
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We extend our deepest sympathies to the families of:

—**Dr. Janette S. Rosenberg,**
85, of 325 N. Cool Spring St., Heritage Place, Fayetteville, died July 9.

She was a former professor of English at the University of Alabama at Troy, and more recently at Methodist College in Fayetteville. Dr. Rosenberg was a member of the Methodist College Board of Visitors.

A memorial was held July 12 in Jernigan-Warren Funeral Home Chapel by Dr. Robert Christian of Methodist College.

Ms. Rosenberg is survived by three sisters, Wiley Currin of Angier, Grace Hodges of Fayetteville and Pauline Crum of Sun City, AZ; and two brothers, Dan H. Stout and Frank P. Stout,

both of Fayetteville.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Joe W. Stout Scholarship Fund at Methodist College, Ramsey St., Fayetteville, NC 28311.

—**Rev. Vergil E. Queen,**
83, of 3124 Coachman's Way, formerly of Fayetteville, died August 26 in Coble Health Care Center, Durham.

He was a retired United Methodist minister and a former Methodist College trustee. He also served as superintendent of the North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church's Wilmington and Sanford districts. He helped organize the Haymount United Methodist

Church in Fayetteville and led in the establishment of the new Sanford district.

He served on the conference's Commission on Worship and the Board of Higher Education, and was the recipient of Methodist College's first honorary doctorate of divinity degree.

The funeral was held Aug. 28, at Epworth United Methodist Church in Durham.

Rev. Queen is survived by his wife, Frances Sharpe Queen of the home, and three brothers, John L. Queen and Guy Queen, both of Asheville, and Russell Queen of Yadkinville.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Endowment Fund, Methodist College, Ramsey St., Fayetteville, NC 28311.

'NATURAL APPROACH' TO FACILITATE LEARNING

learner.

It is commonplace to see baskets of real or artificial objects being transported into the college classrooms daily. Spanish students bring sports equipment, pets, food items, and toys to demonstrate or facilitate the presentation that they must make for that day's assignment. During an impromptu fashion show, students were given a variety of clothes in doll, baby, children's, and mismatched men's and women's sizes. Not a few stares were earned by college males in the hallway who were struggling to don mis-sized and questionably inappropriate clothing which their partners were preparing to describe to the class a few minutes later.

In Mrs. Porter's French class, beginning students had to pass through French customs at the end of their first test in order to demonstrate that they could give their name, place of residence, nationality, etc. in appropriate terms.

Their mid-term exam included individual interviews with the instructor about their family members. Students brought photo albums to help illustrate their conversation.

An advanced French conversation class recently performed a scene from a French play and enhanced their presentation with costumes and mustaches borrowed from the college Theatre Department.

These same students also hosted a group of soldiers from Ft. Bragg who were taking an intensive French course. The two groups and their teachers conversed over lunch in the cafeteria and then participated in a variety of board games in French to practice their oral skills.

During Second Languages Week in the

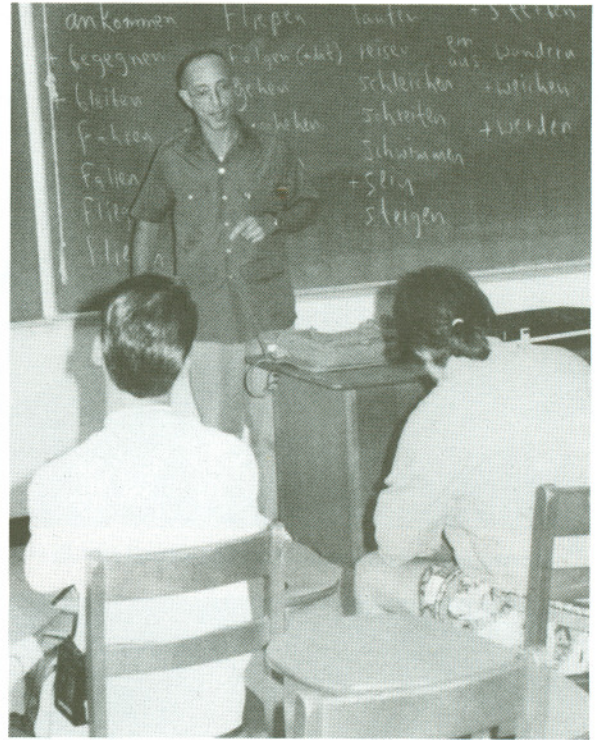
Cumberland County Schools in March, there were several different kinds of exchanges between the college instructors and classes in junior and senior high schools. One hundred Spanish students from 71st Senior High School visited Mrs. Rappold's beginning classes and participated in some oral activities.

Mr. Leon Goldstein demonstrated the video instructional series to first and second-year German classes at Douglas Byrd Senior High School.

Dr. Joan Bitterman, Assistant Professor of French and German at Methodist College, taught an advanced French class at Westover Senior High School. Mrs. Porter took French-speaking college students from Mauritius and Haiti and a Spanish student from Cuba to Hillcrest Junior High School to speak to foreign language students there.

Dr. Arnal Guzman, Associate Professor of Spanish, helped entertain language students by performing Chilean folk music at the International Banquet during Second Languages Week at 71st High School.

Adjunct Professor of Spanish José Cruz led a second group of college-related people and friends to Cancún, Mexico again this summer. Mrs. Elaine Porter, Dr. James Ward and his wife, Mr. Alfonso Corria and his family, recent graduate

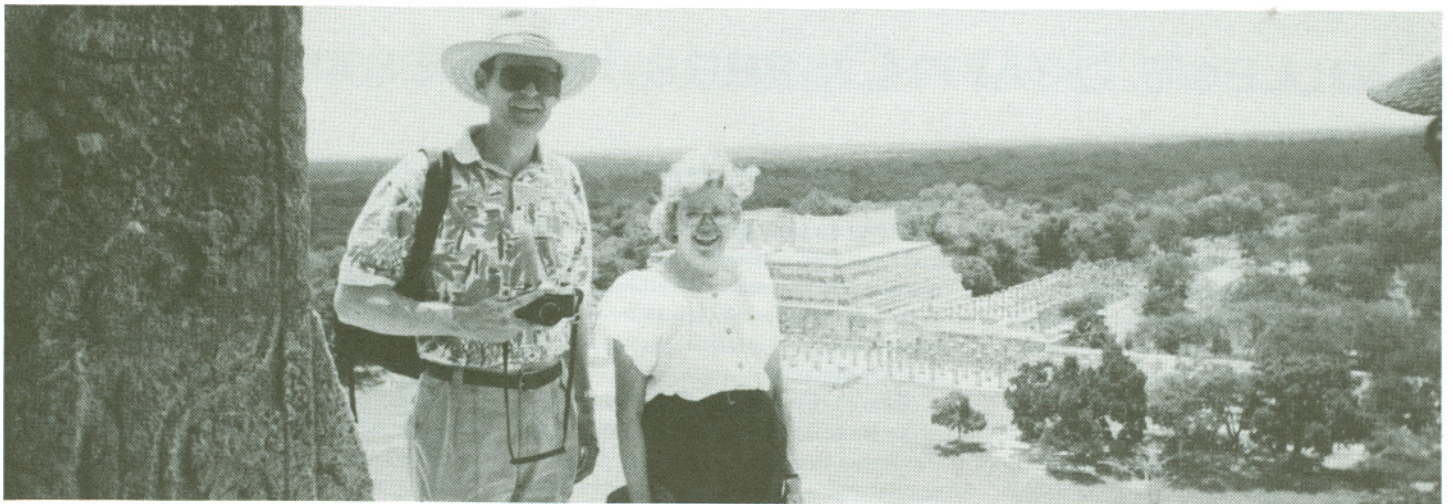


▲ LEON GOLDSTEIN, GERMAN INSTRUCTOR.

Mercedes Harris and her daughter, and part-time student Norma Garcia were among the group of 20 which made the trip June 24-27.

Several took a bus trip to the Mayan ruins of Chichén Itzá and a boat ride to the Island of the Mothers, in addition to seeing the sights offered in Cancún.

Second-language study at Methodist College is alive and well and making a difference in preparing students for functioning successfully in the 21st century.



▲ DR. WARD AND MRS. PORTER AT THE MAYAN RUINS OF CHICHÉN ITZÁ.

THE CHALLENGE HAS BEGUN: READY OR NOT,



▲ MOVING INTO WEAVER HALL IS A FAMILY EFFORT.



▲ AN APPLE A DAY...



▲ A CLASSIC SET OF WHEELS.



▲ THE CHALLENGE COURSE.

COLLEGE STAFF OFFERS INTERESTING IDEAS

- Upgrade and increase audiovisual equipment.
- Develop a long-range (three-year) academic plan and calendar, with input from the entire college community.
- Create a computer network on campus.
- Establish goals for academic standards.
- Increase community awareness of the college with more outreach activities.
- Refocus funding to better support the college's purpose of providing a *liberal arts* education.

Item 6: Conduct a capital campaign

of at least ten million dollars to build a library addition, build a new academic building, increase the endowment by \$2 million, build a science building, renovate current science building, AND authorize the administration to proceed with a feasibility study in preparation for such a campaign.

Item 7: Establish a Task Force to make recommendations to the Board of Trustees in summer 1994 regarding development of the unused college land.

SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF ITEMS 6-7

- Have more fund-raisers involving community leaders and alumni.
- Build a conference center for continuing education near the Cape Fear River.
- Construct a laboratory school (grades K-6).
- Lease land to a commercial firm for construction of a hotel/restaurant/conference center.
- Set aside a nature preserve near the

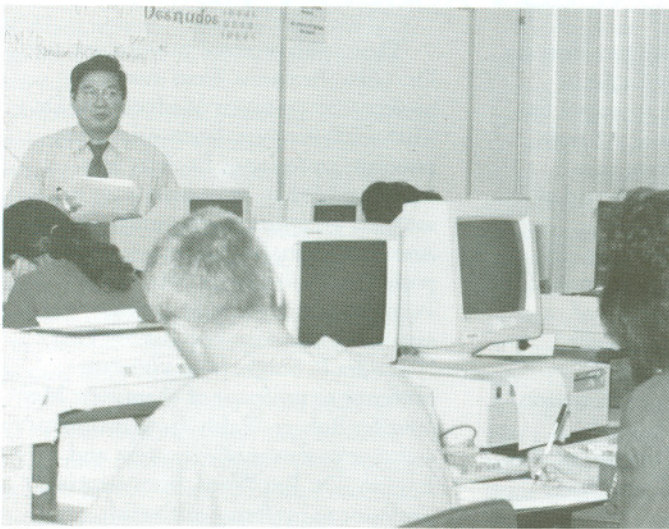
STUDENTS HIT THE BOOKS AND THE TRAIL



▲ DR. JOHNSON MEETS ADVISEES.



▲ REGISTRATION DAY—BERNS STUDENT CENTER.



▲ "BUSINESS COMPUTER APPLICATIONS" WITH DR. LIN.



▲ HANGING OUT IN THE LION'S DEN.

REGARDING FUTURE USE OF COLLEGE LAND

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river.

— Expedite renovation of the old boiler plant building to house the theatre and communications departments.

— Eliminate barriers to physically challenged students.

— Lease land for development of a retirement center.

— Add nine more holes to the golf course.

— Concentrate on building the endowment earnings and other revenues to reduce reliance upon tuition.

— Build an RV campground near the

river.

— Sell three brick homes and land on south campus fronting Ramsey Street and use revenue for academic support.

President Hendricks told the participants that the administration and trustees welcome creative ideas for implementing the seven-point strategic plan adopted in June.

He also offered several observations:

1) While residence halls can be paid for from room rent, new academic buildings must be paid for by gifts (e.g., a capital

campaign),

2) A feasibility study for a capital campaign (to be completed this year) will determine how much the college seeks to raise in its forthcoming fund drive, (the \$10 million figure mentioned in Item 6 is tentative),

3) Approximately 98 percent of current endowment earnings go toward scholarships, and

4) "We will have to work hard to ensure projected growth to 2,200 students in the next five years."

SUMMER BROCK ASSUMES ALUMNI, DEVELOPMENT POST

Summer E. Brock has joined the Methodist College administrative staff as Director of Alumni Affairs and Executive Director of the Methodist College Foundation.

Ms. Brock comes to Methodist from a similar position at St. Andrews Presbyterian College in Laurinburg. The Durham native holds a bachelor's degree in theatre from St. Andrews and a master's in speech/communications from UNC-Greensboro.

During her five years at St. Andrews, alumni participation in the Annual Fund increased from 16.5 percent in 1988 to 30 percent in 1993. She directed a team of alumni which raised \$2 million in 1990-91 for St. Andrews' \$12 million capital campaign. Ms. Brock also restructured Alumni Affairs to incorporate alumni from Flora MacDonald College and Presbyterian Junior College into the St. Andrews family.

Methodist's new alumni director said she is looking forward to homecoming and getting to know more of MC's 5,300 alumni. "Get involved," she said. "Let us hear from you. Come back to campus."

Before joining the development staff at St. Andrews, Summer Brock was a manager for IT'S Inc. (a clothing store chain) in Lexington, KY, Charlotte, and Savannah. She was also assistant executive director of the Fayette Medical Society (Lexington, KY) for two years.

Ms. Brock has a special interest in theatre — set design, lighting and directing. She has taught theatre courses at St. Andrews and served as board chairman of Encore Community Theatre in Laurinburg. She is currently directing an Encore production of *Cabaret*.



▲ SUMMER BROCK



▲ BOB BLOODWORTH, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF COMMUNICATIONS, RECEIVES AN AWARD FROM LINDA RIVERS, DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER IN SPRING LAKE, FOR PRODUCING AND NARRATING A VIDEO FOR THE CENTER. THE VIDEO WAS DIRECTED BY DWAYNE SMITH, A METHODIST COLLEGE COMMUNICATIONS MAJOR.

DEAN ANNOUNCES FACULTY PROMOTIONS

Dr. Erik Bitterbaum, vice president for academic affairs, has released a list of faculty members who were approved for tenure or promotion in June. All were nominated by Dr. Bitterbaum and subsequently approved by the board of trustees.

Those approved for tenure are: Dr. Tony DeLapa, professor of education; Dr. Suzan Cheek, associate professor of political science; Dr. Shivappa Palled, associate professor of mathematics/computer science; Dr. Jo Ann Parkerson, associate professor of education; Mrs. Emily Seamon, associate professor of social work; Dr. Jim Ward, associate professor of English.

Those who received promotions are: Dr. Gilda Benstead, from associate professor to professor of education; Dr. Michael Colonnese, from assistant to associate professor of English; Mrs. Maureen Molter, from instructor to assistant professor of education; Dr. Jo Ann Parkerson, from associate professor to professor of education; Mrs. Susan Pulsipher, from assistant professor to associate professor of education; Dr. Narendra P. Singh, from associate professor to professor of chemistry; Mrs. Jennifer Rohrer-Walsh, from instructor to assistant professor of education and English; Dr. Jim Ward, from associate professor to professor of English.



▶ BISHOP C. P. MINNICK ADDRESSED THE ANNUAL SESSION OF THE N.C. CONFERENCE UNITED METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP JULY 28 AT METHODIST.

JOE PEREIRA DISCOVERS THE ALAMODOME

Imagine walking into a building. A building with 62,000 people screaming and yelling because of you and the people you're with. Lights so bright you thought you were in a rerun of a 1970's disco movie. Well, this was the experience Methodist's Joe Pereira had this past summer.

Pereira, the Monarchs head women's soccer coach, served as assistant women's



▲ JOE PEREIRA

soccer coach for the South Region at the U.S. Olympic Festival in San Antonio, TX. "I just can't explain the experience," said Pereira. "Our region was the last to walk in during the opening ceremonies in the Alamodome. Since we were the host region, it seemed all 62,000 people went into a frenzy."

A native of Azores, Portugal, Pereira was contacted to coach the team by Bob Ganzler, director of coaching and player development for the U.S. Soccer Federation. "Joe was selected because he is also the head coach for the South Region Youth Team," Ganzler said. "Part of the Olympic coaching development program is to have the region youth coach assist the assigned head coach."

The youth team that Pereira heads is one of four regional teams that feeds the U.S. Senior National team. "He (Pereira) has been involved with women's soccer in North Carolina for some time now," said Ganzler. "He has given a lot of his time and effort to promoting the sport. After my initial contact, the regional committee appointed him. I was extremely encouraged to hear that he accepted the job."

Pereira had his work cut out for him right off the bat, having three members of the 1991 Women's World Cup championship team playing for the South. Michelle Achres-Stahl (Orlando, FL), Linda Hamilton (Atlanta, GA) and Kim Wyatt (Orlando, FL), all played for the South.

"Linda and Kim were two very important members of that championship team, with Kim being the starting goalkeeper," said Pereira. "Michelle, in my opinion is simply the best player in the world. She plays at a level all of her own."

Although they had three members of

that championship team, the South could have been even better. "We lost some of the senior national team members, because the summer tournament schedule was so busy," Pereira said. "The World University Games had just ended in Buffalo and the CONCACAF Cup was starting right after the Olympic tournaments." The CONCACAF Cup is a tournament involving nations from North America, Central America and the Caribbean.

Not only did Pereira lend his guidance on the field, he feels he received quite an education himself during his two-week stay in San Antonio. "It was amazing, being exposed to those players with that ability. The fact that they keep themselves in top Olympic condition year-in and year-out, giving themselves to a sport is mind-boggling," he said, "especially when the sport doesn't offer anything after the competitor's amateur career is over. Their heart and courage are overwhelming."

Although the South did have quite a high power attack, they only received a bronze medal, defeating the north in the medal round on penalty kicks. "We didn't do as well as we had hoped, in fact we were kind of disappointed with the outcome," said Pereira. "I think a lot of the players on our team were intimidated by the fact that they were playing alongside world-class athletes. The rest of the team never played up to their potential."

The elements didn't help the situation any. The festival saw record temperatures during the 10-day event. "It was in the 100's almost daily and even hotter on the field," said Pereira. "It's tough playing in those conditions. You find yourself getting physically and mentally drained very quickly."

And what about the future for Joe Pereira? "If I had the chance to go to the festival next year in St. Louis, I would definitely take it," he said. "This was such a good opportunity for me to have. It exposed me to a whole different level of soccer, and gave me a chance to use my knowledge of soccer, while learning more about the game myself. For a coach, that's what the festival is all about."

Is the national team on the horizon for Pereira? According to Ganzler, Pereira is in an extremely prestigious position with the soccer federation. "There are a lot of people who would like to have Joe's job as coach of the south youth development team. There are only four head coaches across the nation in this program and Joe is

one of them."

Pereira, though, is taking a casual look toward the future. "If I had a chance to coach the national team, it would be a great honor, but I'm not going to pursue it," he said. "I live by a very simple code, 'whatever goes, goes, and wherever it takes you it takes you.' I find pleasure and challenge in coaching at any level, whether it be children's youth soccer, college, or the South Region Youth Team."

—Mike Hogan

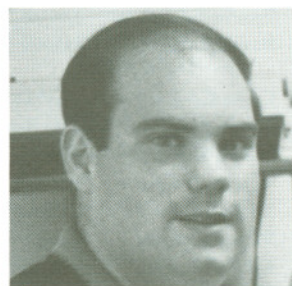
MIKE HOGAN NAMED SID

Michael Hogan has been named Director of Sports Information and Assistant to the Athletic Director at Methodist College.

His main responsibilities will deal with the public relations and promotion of the Monarchs' Division III athletic program. Additional responsibilities will include game operations and community relations.

Mr. Hogan, a native of Albany, NY, comes to Methodist after serving one year as Assistant Sports

Information Director at Siena College in Loudonville, NY. While at Siena, he was responsible for media



▲ MIKE HOGAN

relations of the football and women's basketball teams, as well as assisting with public relations for men's basketball and baseball.

Hogan also spent one year as the Assistant Director of Public Relations and Promotions with the Fayetteville Flyers of the now defunct Global Basketball Association.

He has done freelance work with the media relations staff of New York's Empire State Games as well as *Saratoga Summer*, a magazine on the thoroughbred industry in New York State.

A 1991 graduate of Mount Saint Mary College in Newburgh, NY, Mr. Hogan received his bachelor's degree in communication arts, with emphasis in media studies and public relations.

COMPOSITE SPORTS SCHEDULE FOR

MON., SEPT. 20			Baseball-Green	Southeastern	10:00 a.m. Home
Men's Soccer	Guilford College	4:00 p.m. Home	Baseball-Gold	Southeastern	12:30 p.m. Home
Volleyball	at Mt. Olive College	7:00 p.m.	SUN., OCT. 3		
TUES., SEPT. 21			Women's Golf	Kings Grant CC	TBA Home
Women's Soccer	at Averett College	4:00 p.m. Home	Men's Tennis	at Emory College- Tourn.	TBA
THURS., SEPT. 21			Women's Tennis	at Emory College- Tourn.	TBA
Volleyball	at NC Wesleyan College	7:00 p.m.	Baseball-Green	at St. Andrews	12:00 p.m.
Baseball-Green	at Mt. Olive College	3:00 p.m.	Baseball-Gold	at St. Andrews	2:00 p.m.
Baseball-Gold	Mt. Olive College	2:00 p.m. Home	MON., OCT 4		
FRI., SEPT. 24			Men's Golf	at Hargrove B. Davies	TBA
Women's Soccer	Messiah College	4:00 p.m. Home	TUES., OCT. 5		
SAT., SEPT. 25			Women's Soccer	Elon College	4:00 p.m. Home
Cross Country	at Christopher Newport Invt.	TBA	Volleyball	Meredith College	7:00 p.m. Home
Men's Soccer	Averett College	2:00 p.m. Home	Men's Golf	at Hargrove B. Davies	TBA
Women's Soccer	Trenton State College	4:00 p.m. Home	Women's Tennis	Meredith College	2:30 p.m. Home
Volleyball	at Guilford/Hollins	TBA	WED., OCT. 6		
MON., SEPT. 23			Men's Soccer	at NC Wesleyan College	4:00 p.m.
Volleyball	Greensboro College	7:00 p.m. Home	THURS., OCT. 7		
TUES., SEPT. 28			Women's Soccer	at Greensboro College	3:30 p.m.
Men's Soccer	Barton College	4:00 p.m. Home	FRI., OCT. 8		
Men's Tennis	at St. Andrews	3:00 p.m.	Volleyball	at Gallaudet College- Invt	TBA
Baseball-Green	at Louisburg College	5:30 p.m.	Women's Tennis	at Meredith College- Inv.	TBA
WED., SEPT. 29			SAT., OCT. 9		
Women's Soccer	at St. Andrews College	4:00 p.m.	Football	Bridgewater College	1:00 p.m. Home
Volleyball	at Averett College	7:00 p.m.	Men's Soccer	Maryville College	3:00 p.m. Home
Men's Tennis	At Belmont Abbey	2:30 p.m.	Women's Soccer	Maryville College	11:00 a.m. Home
FRI., OCT. 1			Volleyball	at Gallaudet College Invt	TBA
Volleyball	at Emory College Invt	TBA	Women's Tennis	at Meredith College- Inv.	TBA
Men's Tennis	at Emory College Tourn.	TBA	Baseball-Green	St. Andrews	10:00 a.m. Home
Women's Tennis	at Emory College Tourn.	TBA	Baseball-Gold	St. Andrews	12:30 p.m. Home
Baseball-Green	Lenoir College	3:00 p.m. Home	SUN., OCT. 10		
Baseball-Gold	Lenoir College	5:00 p.m. Home	Women's Soccer	Emory University	2:00 p.m. Home
SAT., OCT. 2			Women's Tennis	at Meredith College	TBA
Cross Country	Methodist College Carnival	TBA Home	Baseball-Green	at Barton College (2)	12:00 p.m.
Football	The Apprentice School	1:00 p.m. Home	TUES., OCT. 12		
Men's Soccer	Ferrum College	3:00 p.m. Home	Women's Soccer	at Campbell College	4:00 p.m.
Women's Soccer	Ferrum College	1:00 p.m. Home	WED., OCT. 13		
Volleyball	at Emory College Invt	TBA	Men's Tennis	Barton College	2:30 p.m. Home
Women's Golf	King's Grant CC	Home	Women's Tennis	Barton College	2:30 p.m. Home
Men's Tennis	at Emory College- Tourn.	TBA	Volleyball	at Ferrum College	7:00 p.m.
Women's Tennis	at Emory College- Tourn.	TBA			

FOOTBALL TEAM WINS OPENER AGAINST

Methodist College got its first win in 14 games September 4, defeating Chowan College 16-13. The Monarchs' last victory came against Davidson College, 30-28, on October 19, 1991.

Methodist jumped out to an early lead on a six-yard run by freshman Corey Johnson (Yanceyville, NC), with 4:58 left in the second quarter. However, Chowan retaliated on their next play from scrimmage, with a 79-yard touchdown pass from Brian Goff to Marcus Samuel with 4:40 remaining in the quarter. Chowan took the lead late in the third quarter, on a six-yard pass from Goff to Silas George.

The Monarchs regained the edge with 7:37 left

in the final stanza on a 12-yard run by freshman fullback David Peleshuck (North Lance, FL). The Methodist defense capped off the afternoon, when freshman defensive end Earl Fountain (Danville, VA) caused the Chowan quarterback to fumble. Goff recovered the ball in the end zone, but was tackled by freshman nose guard Jesse Lovell (Allentown, PA) for a safety, with 4:55 remaining in the game.

Fountain led the Monarch defense with eight tackles, including three sacks. Freshman tight end Derek George (Allentown, PA), caught three passes for 39 yards and freshman fullback

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FALL '93 - SUPPORT THE MONARCHS!

Men's Soccer	at East Carolina Univ.	4:00 p.m.
	FRI., OCT. 15	
Women's Tennis	at St. Andrews	3:00 p.m.
	SAT., OCT. 16	
Football	at Davidson College	1:30 p.m.
Men's Soccer	at Mary Washington	3:00 p.m.
Women's Soccer	at Mary Washington	1:00 p.m.
Volleyball	at Shenandoah University	1:00 p.m.
	TUES., OCT. 19	
Men's Golf	at Davis & Elkin Invit.	
	WED., OCT. 20	
Men's Soccer	Greensboro College	3:00 p.m. Home
Men's Golf	at Davis & Elkins Invit.	
	THURS., OCT. 21	
Volleyball	NC Wesleyan College	7:00 p.m. Home
Women's Golf	at James Madison Invit.	
Men's Tennis	Wingate College	2:30 p.m. Home
	FRI., OCT. 22	
Women's Golf	at James Madison Invit.	
	SAT., OCT. 23	
Football	at Gallaudet University	1:30 p.m.
Men's Soccer	at Mt. Olive College	2:00 p.m.
Women's Golf	at James Madison Invit.	
	SUN., OCT. 24	
Women's Soccer	Berry College	2:00 p.m. Home
Women's Golf	at James Madison Invit.	
	TUES., OCT. 26	
Volleyball	Ferrum College	7:00 p.m. Home
	WED., OCT. 27	
Men's Soccer	at UNC-Wilmington	TBA
Women's Soccer	NC Wesleyan College	3:00 p.m. Home
	FRI., OCT. 29	
Volleyball	at Chowan College	6:30 p.m.
	SAT., OCT. 30	
Cross Country	at Mason-Dixon Champ.	TBA
Football	Maryville College	1:00 p.m. Home
Men's Soccer	at Shenandoah University	TBA
Women's Soccer	at Shenandoah University	TBA
Volleyball	at Christopher Newport	1:00 p.m.
	TUES., NOV. 2	

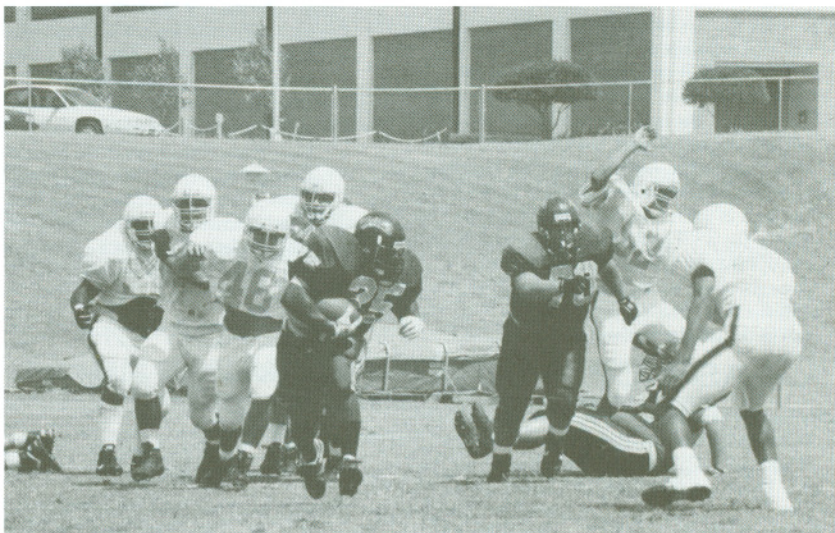
Volleyball	Averett College	7:00 p.m. Home
	FRI., NOV. 5	
Volleyball	DIAC Tournament	TBA
Women's Golf	Charleston Invit.	
	SAT., NOV. 6	
Football	at Hampden-Sydney	1:30 p.m.
Volleyball	DIAC Tournament	TBA
Women's Golf	Charleston Invit.	
	SUN., NOV. 7	
Women's Golf	Charleston Invit.	
	FRI., NOV. 12	
Men's Golf	at Francis Marion College	
	SAT., NOV. 13	
Cross Country	NCAA South/SE Reg.	TBA Home
Football	Frostburg State College	1:00 p.m. Home
Men's Golf	at Francis Marion Invit.	
	SUN., NOV. 14	
Men's Golf	at Francis Marion Invit.	
	SAT., NOV. 20	
Cross Country	NCAA Div. III Nat. Champ.	TBA
Women's B-Ball	at Randolph-Macon	1:00 p.m.
	SUN., NOV. 21	
Women's B-Ball	at Meredith College	1:00 p.m.
	MON., NOV. 22	
Men's Basketball	at Chowan College	7:30 p.m.
	MON., NOV. 29	
Men's Basketball	at Campbell Univ.	7:30 p.m.
	TUES., NOV. 30	
Women's B-Ball	at Guilford College	7:00 p.m.
	WED., DEC. 1	
Women's B-Ball	Meredith College	7:00 p.m. Home
	FRI., DEC. 3	
Men's Basketball	MC Invit. Tourny	6:00/8:00 Home
	SAT., DEC. 4	
Women's B-Ball	at Maryville-Ferrum	1:00 p.m.
Men's Basketball	MC Invit. Tourny	2:00/4:00 Home
	SUN., DEC. 5	
Women's B-ball	at Marymount-Ferrum	1:00 p.m.
	TUES., DEC. 7	
Women's B-Ball	Savannah Sch of Art/Des	6:00 p.m. Home
Men's Basketball	Savannah Sch of Art/Des	8:00 p.m. Home

CHOWAN COLLEGE

Keljin Adams (Ocala, FL) opened some eyes, running for 84 yards on 21 carries.

After the game, the team and coaches huddled near the scoreboard and sang a new Monarch fight song written by Leon Clark, one of the players. Head Coach Jim Syputl thanked his team and urged them to "get ready to win on the road."

Methodist's next home contest is Saturday, October 2. The Monarchs will host The Newport News Apprentice School at 1:00 p.m. October 2. This will be Methodist's second annual United Methodist Youth Fellowship Day.



▲ FRESHMAN FULLBACK KELJIN ADAMS GAINS GROUND FOR THE MONARCHS.

CLASS OF 1968

Navy Capt. William A. Lillard recently assumed command of the Naval Computer and Telecommunications Master Station, Eastern Pacific, Wahiawa, Hawaii. He was previously assigned as commanding officer aboard the guided missile frigate, USS Lewis B. Puller, based in Long Beach, CA. Other past assignments include tours aboard USS O'Hare, USS Leahy, USS McDonough, USS Tattall, as well as Officer Candidate School Instructor, Material Officer, Destroyer Squadron Six; Chief Staff Officer, Destroyer Squadron Fourteen; and Chief, Automated Data Processing Division, Commander in Chief, United States Pacific Command. He joined the Navy in 1968.

CLASS OF 1969

Dr. Wyatt Harper an administrator with the Wake County Schools, has been appointed to the State Superintendent's Advisory Board on Public Education in NC. Wyatt is pursuing post doctoral work at Duke University. He and his wife, Darlene have two children, Michael, age 11, and Becky, age 10.

CLASS OF 1970

Linda Burns Lingerfeldt continues as a teacher for Moore Co. schools and resides in Seven Lakes, NC with her two high school age children, Christin and Trey.

CLASS OF 1971

Lynn Carraway has been named general manager and vice president of WZFX 99.1 "The Fox". Ms. Carraway is campaign chairman of the "Fayetteville Pride" project of the Chamber of Commerce. She is also on the boards of directors of the Volunteer Center, the Dogwood Festival, N.C. State Ballet, and the Teen Talk Helpline.

Angie Vurnakes McKimmon has been promoted to Manager of Distribution for the Southeast Region for GTE Mobilnet. GTE Mobilnet owns and operates 10 cellular telephone systems throughout the southeast under the name of Cellular One. She has been with GTE for 5 years and in the cellular business for 9 years.

CLASS OF 1972

Larry Lugar has been appointed MECC Educational Software Representative for VA, MD, and Washington, DC. He, his wife, Sharon (72) and son, Kevin, are now living in Charlottesville, VA.

CLASS OF 1973

Karen "Abby" Vick Critcher announces the arrival of a son, W. Wesley, born August 16, 1990. She lives in Dallas, TX. Husband Bill is a pilot for United Airlines and she is a flight attendant for Southwest Airlines.

CLASS OF 1974

Rev. Kenneth S. Valentine has been elected a trustee for the Peninsula Homes and Hospitals, of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist

SC. The couple resides in Conway, SC.

CLASS OF 1980

John "Tal" Madison, Jr. continues as the minister at Lake Waccamaw UMC. Julie Ragan Madison-(82) is enjoying full-time motherhood.

Rev. Scott Petry and wife Janice announce the birth of their first child, Lauren Nicole, born February 2.

CLASS OF 1981

John Braden and Tracy Lynn Wheeler were married July 25, at the Dillon Wedding Chapel in Dillon, SC. Ann Galianan (Martin) Egland was married to Terry Egland in October, 1992 in St. Croix, US Virgin Islands. She has finished her internship in pediatrics at Portsmouth Naval Hospital in VA. The couple are living in Charleston, SC.

CLASS OF 1985

Andreas Winston has been promoted to associate manager of The Image Men in Fayetteville.

CLASS OF 1986

Jeff Reid and Sandra Futrell were married June 5, in St. John, NC

CLASS OF 1987

Cu Gia Phung was awarded a Ph D. from Duke University in December, 1992. Nancy Irene Clark and James Guthrie Childress were married June 5, at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church in Fayetteville. The couple will live in Salisbury.

CLASS OF 1988

Kevin Johnson and wife Debbie announce the birth of a daughter, Tori Elizabeth on July 29.

CLASS OF 1989

Gregorio H. Reyes is co-owner and executive vice-president of Falcon Global Corp., a PA based corporate security company which specializes in providing security for Fortune 500 companies.

CLASS OF 1990

Carolie Elizabeth Tompkins and Richard Frederick

WHAT'S NEW WITH YOU?

College faculty, administration, and alumni enjoy reading about MC alumni in the "Classified" pages of METHODIST COLLEGE TODAY. If you would like to share some good news (marriage, births, promotion, civic or professional honor) please return this form.

ALUMNI NEWS
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Church. He is beginning his 4th year at Kent Island UMC, Chester, MD.

CLASS OF 1975

Gary L. Ferrell and Sheila Bunce Ferrell celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary May 26. They have three daughters, Donna, Christa, and Laura. Both are clergy members in the Western NC Conference of the United Methodist Church, serving as co-pastors of the South Rutherford Cooperative Ministries in the Marion District. Gary is conference historian of the WNC Conference and chairman of the local church history section of the Historical Society of the United Methodist Church. Shelia was ordained elder at the 1993 session of the WNC Conference.

CLASS OF 1978

Donna Mercer Surret and husband, David, announce the birth of a son Alec Taylor Surret on July 7.

CLASS OF 1979

Rhonda Gore and Graham Etherdew were married Sept. 11, at Brookgreen Greens, Murrells Inlet,

Atherton of Durham were married June 5, at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in Fayetteville. The couple will live in Fayetteville.

Jeff Rivers was recently promoted to Merchandise Information Processing Manager for Rose's Stores, Inc. He and his wife, Angela reside in Wake Forest, NC.

Jim Percherke just earned his master's of business administration from Providence College with a 3.86 GPA. He has also received a promotion at Titleist to sales administration supervisor.

Angela Camille Smith and Frank Richard Whitesides were married Sept. 4, at Cedar Creek Baptist Church Memorial Gardens.

Angela Kay Zandiotis announces her engagement to Timothy Scott McIntosh. The wedding is planned for September 25, at Culbreth Memorial United Methodist Church.

Susan Cox Ryan and her husband, Chris, are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy, John David Christopher Ryan II, born March 14.

CLASS OF 1991

Michee Jennine Lucas and Jerome Marvin Olson, Jr. of Raleigh were married August 28, at the Second Baptist Church in Hamlet.

Bill Hartmann and Jayme Jeskewitz will be married June 25, 1994. Bill is a physical education teacher and basketball coach in Daytona Beach, FL. Jayme is an elementary science teacher.

CLASS OF 1992

Tanya Howell and Robert Turner were married July 31, in Elizabeth City, NC and are living in

Hertford, NC. Tanya is teaching in the elementary school and Bob is working with Belks.

Dawn Thompson is working at Methodist College as the new residence co-ordinator for Weaver & Garber Halls.

David Leach will be graduating from Army Helicopter Flight School (Initial Entry Rotary Wing Course) on September 16.

Sarah Evelyn Purvis and Kenneth Franklin Jones, Jr. were married July 17, at St. John's Episcopal Church. The couple will live in Fayetteville.

Eric Green is a graduate assistant at Kent State University in the Department of Intramurals and Recreation while he works on his master's degree in sports administration.

Ericson P. Kimbel and Maria C. Brant of Pittsburgh were married June 26, in New Cumberland.

Kelly Ann Denning (Attended Fall 91-92) and Lyn Vo Salmonson were married June 27, at Stones Creek Advent Christian Church in Benson. The couple will live in Fayetteville.

CLASS OF 1993

Tracy Tew and Charles Reep were married August 28, at Snyder Memorial Baptist Church in Fayetteville.

Kimberly Faye Parnell and Barrett Lee West of Dunn were married August 14, at Northwood Temple Pentecostal Holiness Church in Fayetteville.

L. Meredith Wilkins has been promoted to Retail Banking Manager at First Citizens Bank in Fayetteville. He has responsibilities for a four-office area.



▲ **NEW STUDENTS FIND IT TAKES TEAMWORK TO COMPLETE THE MC CHALLENGE COURSE ON THE PAULINE LONGEST NATURE TRAIL.**

EVENTS FOR ALUMNI: HOMECOMING '93

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8

7 p.m. — Pre-play Mixer in the Mallett-Rogers House. Casual dress.

8 p.m. — Methodist College Drama Dept. presents "A *Midsummer Night's Dream*" (Shakespearean comedy).
MC Amphitheater. Free to alumni.

9 p.m. until... — Informal Get Together. "Bow Ties" at the Holiday Inn-Bordeaux.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9

8 a.m. — The Inaugural "William P. Lowdermilk Golf Tournament"— 15 teams assigned on first come, first served basis. Pre-registration is necessary. Cost: \$15 per person.

9 a.m. — MC Teacher's Alumni Association Breakfast in the Alumni Dining Room. Cost: \$5 per person.

10 a.m. — Autumn Harvest Fest on the Campus Mall next to Reeves Auditorium.

11 a.m. — Women's Soccer Game. MC vs. Maryville College.

11:30 a.m. — Homecoming Tailgate Party. Central Mall. Cost: \$4 adults/\$1.50 children 12 and under

1 p.m. — Football Game. MC vs. Bridgewater College. Presentation of Alumni Awards during half-time.

3 p.m. — Men's Soccer Game. MC vs. Maryville College.

8 p.m. — Alumni Homecoming Dance. Hors d'oeuvres, door prizes, reunion class recognition.
Holiday Inn Bordeaux, Wellington Room. Semi-formal. Cost: \$10 per person.



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CAMPUS CALENDAR

October

- 2 United Methodist Youth Fellowship Goes to Methodist College Day
2 Emmaus Walk—Trustees Building
2 Mrs. North Carolina US Pageant—Reeves Auditorium—8:00 p.m.
7-10 *A Midsummer Night's Dream*—O'Hanlon Amphitheater—9:00 a.m. and Noon
8 Fayetteville Rotary Club—Alumni Dining Room—6:30 p.m.
8-9 Homecoming
8 *A Midsummer Night's Dream*—O'Hanlon Amphitheater—9:00 a.m., Noon, and 8:00 p.m.
9 *A Midsummer Night's Dream*—O'Hanlon Amphitheater—8:00 p.m.
10 *A Midsummer Night's Dream*—O'Hanlon Amphitheater—3:00 p.m. (In case of rain, performances of *A Midsummer Night's Dream* will be held in Reeves Auditorium.)
14 Pilot Club of Fayetteville—Alumni Dining Room—7:00 p.m.
15-16 United Methodist Women Annual Meeting
18 Cape Fear Amateur Radio Society—Alumni Dining Room—7:00 p.m.
18 Fall Term II of Evening College Begins
18 Cape Fear Amateur Radio Society—Alumni Dining Room
18-19 Fall Break
22-23 Southern Writers' Symposium
26 Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra—Reeves Auditorium—8:00 p.m.
28 North Carolina Symphony Orchestra—Reeves Auditorium—8:00 p.m.
28 Conference Board of Religion and Race—President's Dining Room—10:00 a.m.
29 Reading by Alan Shapiro, poet—Hensdale Chapel—7:30 p.m.
30 Rotary Luncheon—Alumni Dining Room

November

- 1 Clergy Friends Association of Methodist College
4 *Out of Gas*, a one-act comedy—Reeves Auditorium—No admission.
5-13 Becky Lee's Art Exhibit—Mallet-Rogers House
6 Pageant Sponsored by the American Businesswomen's Association—MaMarquise Chapter—Reeves Auditorium
7 Performance of Hadyn's *Creation* by the Cumberland Oratorio Singers—Reeves Auditorium—3:00 p.m.
9 Community Concerts Presents the Count Basie Orchestra—Reeves Auditorium
11 Pilot Club Alumni Dining Room—7:00 p.m.
15 Cape Fear Amateur Radio Society—Alumni Dining Room—7:00 p.m.
18 *Snow White*—Reeves Auditorium—9:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.
19 *Snow White*—Reeves Auditorium—9:00 a.m., Noon, 7:00 p.m.
20 *Snow White*—Reeves Auditorium—7:00 p.m.
20 Emmaus Walk—Trustees Building
21 *Snow White*—Reeves Auditorium—3:00 p.m.
21-30 Joella Sanders' Art Exhibit—Mallet-Rogers House
23 Miss Pine Forest Senior High Pageant—Reeves Auditorium

Calendar is subject to change. For more information, phone 630-7004.